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Handhills Progressive Conservatives

To Hold Convention in Hanna Dec. 13th

With the prospect of an early election next year, the political activity in the province is becoming more apparent. This is emphasized by the number of nominating conventions being conducted by the three major parties. The second of such meetings in the Handhills constituency is slated for next month.

The executive of the Handhills Progressive Conservative Association last week set the date for their convention for Saturday, December 13 The meeting will be held in the Memorial Hall in Hanna at 2:30 p.m.

Highlighting the meeting will be an address by the Provincial Leader of the Progressive Conservative Party, W. J. C. Kirby of Red Deer. Among the topics which will be discussed by the party leader will be surface rights, municipal tax burdens, transportation facilities and the provincial agricultural picture.

Last week Mr. Kirby addressed almost one thousand people in the Peace River constituencies. The party leader termed his four-day tour of the district as, "very encouraging."

In commenting on his impressions of the Peace River tour, he said a new provincial political movement has caught fire in Alberta's north.

"A little more than 23 years ago, the Social Credit movement began in the south and swept the province like a wind.

"Now a new wind is blowing from the north, a wind which will blow Social Credit out of power."

The Conservative leader said, "There is a general feeling of discontent in the Peace River communities towards the present provincial administration. This discontent appears to stem from the government's disregard of the north country"

The Conservative party in Alberta is a new party, Mr Kirby claims. It is a party which will be formed by the people to rule as the people of Alberta wish, he added.

Mr. Kirby went on to say that the present administration has been in power so long that it has lost its communion with the people.

Nothing is impossible to the man who can will; and then do.

DELIA W.M.S.

The regular meeting of the Delia W.M.S. was held in the United church annex on Nov. 21st, with 12 members and two visitors. Opening hymn, "I've Found a Friend," was followed by prayer by President Mrs. Hewson. One minute's silent prayer was held for our missionary, Miss Mac Millan. Devotional by Mrs. Oakes, was on "Tribal Relationship." Hymn 390, "Work For the Night is Coming," was followed by prayer, and Scripture reading from Deut. 17 : 14-20.

Minutes of October meeting were read and approved.

Treas. report by Mrs. MacPherson showed a bank balance of $24 21.

It was moved by Mrs. MacPherson, and seconded by Mrs. Milne, that the W.M.S. give $5 00 to the British and Foreign Bible Society.

Supply sec., Mrs. Long, sent the quilt and received a reply of thanks from Miss Rogers at Cold Lake.

Friendship Sec., Mrs. Milne, reported two hospital visits and one card sent.

Mrs. H. Sloan took orders for the Missionary Monthly.

The program by Mrs. Long and Mrs. H. Sloan, was a study of one of our North American neighbors, "Alaska."

Lit. Sec. Mrs. Turner, and Mrs. Wallace, displayed a number of good books which anyone could borrow.

Anyone having old nylons to give away please leave at the annex before Dec. 11, when they will be sent to Korea. Thanks.

The meeting was brought to a close by singing a hymn, followed by prayer by Mrs. Barass

Mrs Thompson and Mrs. Wallace then served a lovely tea.

C.G.I.T. News

The weekly meeting of the C.G.I.T Group was held on Wednesday, Nov. 19, beginning with a Pot-Luck Supper Then the meeting proceeded as usual.

Since the last News Report, the group have had their initiation. Three of the girls received their Lanyards, namely —Ann Richardson, Diane Williams, and Yvonne Friedley

The Bible Study was completed with the help of Mrs. A. C. McCully and Mrs. Stewart Sloan.

The annual Vesper Service will be held in the United Church, Sunday, Dec. 14th, at 7:30 p.m.

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BASKETBALL

Two league basketball games with Drumheller were played in the Delia gymnasium on Friday evening, November 28, 1958. The Dartettes played a clean and exciting game but lost with a score of 23-11. Outstanding players were: Marjorie Hohenacker, 7; Doreen Van Riper, 2; Lucille Norlie, 2.

The highlights of the evening came in the boys' game. Tension and excitement rose as the boys tried valiantly to even the score. Finally, during the last quarter, the expert passing of Merle Morton had it's effect. The final score was 38-36, in favour of Drumheller. Outstanding players were: Pete Boyko, 19; Jim Battle, 8; Merle Morton, 2; Ray Martin, 6; and Dan Shelby, 1.

The referee was Mr. Charles Curtis.

Miss Branum, Dean of Girls, accompanied the Drumheller teams on the bus, which brought them to Delia.

The coach of the Delia teams, Pete Boyko, received assistance from Mrs. Kempf.

Proceeds from the games will go toward the cheerleaders' uniforms. The cheerleaders were: Cerreline Battle, Yvonne Friedley, Donna Limpert, Jenny Ann Branum, Judy Chambers, Judy Branum, and Louise Kary.

Although we lost the games, we are looking forward to future games being held in the Delia gymnasium. We appreciate greatly the support given us by parents and citizens of Delia, and surrounding districts.

On Monday evening, November 24, a Booster Club organizational meeting was held in the school gymnasium. We were pleased at the number of fathers (and some mothers) who turned out to learn the rudiments of the game, and our purpose. It was gratifying to know we will receive full support from the citizens of Delia.

—By Louise Kary

C.N.R. Announces Low Xmas Season Fares

WINNIPEG, December 2 —Canadian National Railways has announced special low-cost round trip Christmas and New Year fares to meet the needs of holiday travellers.

The low cost fares will be in effect from December 19 to 31 inclusive. They will be valid for return not later than midnight, January 5, 1959.

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Argentine Support Prices

New minimum producer prices for grains in Argentina for the 1958-59 season were recently announced. They are the equivalent of: wheat $2.20 per bushel, corn $1.92, oats 66-88 cents, barley $1.18 & $1.29, rye $1.28. New producer prices are from 33 83 percent higher than in the previous year.

Through the first quarter of 1958 Canadian Consumers were spending their money at a record $20,000,000,000 a-year pace.

—Quick Canadian Facts

Sunflower Seed Production In Southern Alberta

Lethbridge Experimental Station Weekly Letter.

W. D. HAY, Cerealist

An effort was made this season to establish sunflowers as a commercial crop for southern Alberta. Forty-five hundred acres were grown under contract for a processing firm in Lethbridge and the results obtained indicate that a large increase in the acreage of this crop can be expected next season. The crops were spread widely over the southern area, extending from Strathmore to the southern boundary and from Claresholm to Medicine Hat, nearly all of them on dry land.

Since few growers, if any, had previous experience in growing sunflowers, some mistakes were made and these resulted in low yields. Thin or uneven stands, and weeds, were probably the chief reasons for low yields, but the percentage of unprofitable crops must have been very low, and the experience gained this year should enable growers to produce better crops next year. Most of the crops yielded from 600 to 1200 pounds per acre. At the contract price of five cents per pound these gave quite satisfactory returns.

Practically all of the sunflower crops were ripened well in advance of the first killing frost, which occurred on October 9. Harvesting commenced soon after that date, and with the help of special combine attachments brought in from Manitoba, or made locally, was completed in about two weeks. Wheat crops would not have been harvested more quickly.

Mennonite, Advance and Beacon were the varieties used this season for commercial production. The Mennonite variety is used chiefly for the roasting and confectionery trade, while Beacon and Advance are the varieties preferred for oil production. At the Experimental Farm this season in a small plot test of varieties on dry land Beacon yielded 2294 pounds per acre; Advance 1937 pounds and Mennonite 1679 pounds. While these yields are higher than can be expected on a large field basis they indicate the relative yielding ability of these three varieties.

While sunflowers have considerable drought resistance they also respond well to irrigation and there is good reason to believe that they should become an important crop in the new irrigated area between Taber and Medicine Hat.

Vegetables Properly Stored

Vegetable storage problems can usually be traced to two things —improper harvesting and poor facilities, according to R. H. Anderson of the Melfort, Sask., Experimental Farm.

Vegetables must be mature, sound and free from mechanical injury, be warm, and this requires care in harvesting and handling. Required also are adequate ventilation, proper temperature control and absence of sunlight.

PREVENT GREENING

Along this same line, electric lights should be used as little as possible since the artificial light causes greening on potatoes.

Potatoes should be stored dry in slatted bins that allow circulation of air. Temperature should be near 38 degrees F., since below this mark they develop a sweet flavor and above 40 degrees they begin to sprout.

Root crops such as beets, carrots, parsnips and rutabagas keep best stored in sand at 32 degrees. If the roothouse or cellar is dry, sand should be dampened. Onions should be dried after harvesting and kept dry during their

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4-H GIRL WINS WORLD WHEAT GROWN

Once again a member of Alberta's 4-H clubs has taken the World Wheat Crown. This year's winner is 16-year-old Gail Adams, of Munson, whose sample of Chinook wheat was judged the best of 130 entries.

This was the seventh win for an Alberta 4-H member in the past ten years Previous winners had been Bill Deurloo, Granum, in 1956; Robert Cochrane, Grande Prairie, in 1955; Ronald Leonhardt, Drumheller, in 1952 and 1953; Howard Roppel, Rockyford in 1951; and Ricky Sharpe, Munson, in 1950.

Alberta is proud of the outstanding record of its 4 H club members. They have brought great honor to the province Congratulations to Gail, who has added to the record!

Storage of Vegetables

(Continued from previous column)

storage in shallow boxes without sand.

PUMPKINS, SQUASH

Pumpkins and squash should be kept at 60 degrees for about two weeks, and then transferred to dry storage at about 50 degrees. Stems should be left attached.

Cabbages keep well in dry storage suspended by the roots. Large quantities have been stored successfully on slatted shelves above potato bins, with the roots and outer leaves removed.

A reminder from Mr. Anderson: Gardeners should remember the importance of using varieties adapted for storage.

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Hon. George Johnson said use of the labels is a new innovation this year. There are four different labels, colored white, blue, green and yellow, that enable the buyer at a glance to know the type and condition of contents of articles being bought.

Manitoba is Canada's second province to enact laws demanding a commitment from the manufacturer as to contents and condition of goods offered for sale. Previous regulations tended to leave the consumer in the dark as to what he was actually buying.

W. G. Davies, department of health inspector, reports that the new regulations have served to raise the standards of home manufacturers who employed used material to stuff articles of this kind.

This material included incredibly old and soiled clothing, bed coverings, mattresses and a long list of questionable items. While unpleasant to contemplate, Mr. Davies said that no cases of disease were ever traced to the contents of stuffed furniture of any kind.

Even had this material been thoroughly sterilized, Mr. Davies contended that it was still most unsatisfactory and well-deserved the criticism levelled at it by health authorities, the general public and interested groups including the Canadian Association of Consumers.

The regulations are aimed primarily at manufacturers of bedding and upholstered furniture in Manitoba, but retailers, upholsterers and second-hand merchants also have responsibilities.

All such items sold by these people for use either inside or outside of Manitoba must carry the proper label.

The white label denotes the use of new white material in the contents. It is made of cotton linters, fly picker and vacuum strip, all of which are imported from the United States. Mr. Davies reports that seven of the local manufacturers make filler for their own use, plus additional filler for sale to other manufacturers lacking the special equipment.

The blue label indicates that the articles are stuffed with filler made from new, colored material. This material is purchased in large quantities from garment manufacturers in Winnipeg and eastern Canada. Although perfectly clean, it has a dull gray-blue color.

The blue filler is used in lower-priced items. Mr. Davies indicated that less of this kind of material has been used in the 10 months following introduction of the legislation.

The green label shows that a mattress, cushion or piece of furniture has been renovated, and should be fastened to the article when it is returned to the customer. The regulation prohibits the use of second-hand material in the renovating process. The renovator may replace second-hand material that came from the article being worked on and it must go back into that particular article. If additional filler is required it must either be new white or colored material.

The yellow label is reserved for articles being sold second-hand. This applies to both wholesale and retail outlets, but not to the private householder selling his own possessions on his own premises.

Mr. Davies makes some 178 calls per month to see that the regulations are carried out. He reports excellent co-operation from all levels of the industry, including the Canadian Manufacturers Association.

The next step: public education, to "learn the labels". Public interest and attention is the most important factor in the ultimate success of the project. "The labels and the regulations have been devised to protect the public. It is the consumer's responsibility to know about, watch for and ask about these labels to safeguard their investment," Mr. Johnson said.

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"OLD RUGGED CROSS" HYMN COMPOSER DEAD

Rev. George Bennard, 85, composer of the gospel hymn, "The Old Rugged Cross," died Friday, Oct. 10th at Reed City, Michigan. Son of a coal miner, he wrote the hymn in 1912 while conducting a revival at Albion, Mich. Used practically as a theme song by the late Premier Aberhart during the early crusading days of the Social Credit movement, The Old Rugged Cross is probably the best known hymn in Alberta. — The Bulletin, Brooks, Alberta.

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Is ours just for today,
So let us wisely use each hour,
Just once we pass this way

Take time to sit and dream a bit
It helps to feed the soul,
For souls may starve if time's all spent
Just keeping bodies whole.

Take time for children's happy smiles,
And then take time to pray,
The meanest task will seem worthwhile
If prayer starts off the day.

Take time to visit those dear friends,
Whose sands are running low,
They may be waiting for your smile
To bless them ere they go.

And when at last our time's all spent
And we have gone away,
May some soul know we took time out
To cheer him on his way.

E. M. MacEWEN,
Sunset Lodge, Charlottetown.

QUINTILIS JULIUS

On the basis of cargo tons handled in a year Montreal is Canada's leading port. Vancouver is second and Halifax third.

Provincial veterinarian Tom Johnson resigns

Dr. T. V. (Tom) Johnston, provincial veterinarian with the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture has resigned to take up private practice in Regina, the Minister of Agriculture, Hon. I. C. Nollet announced.

The last three weeks of Dr. Johnston's employment with the government will be spent at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto. He will be responsible for the health of Saskatchewan's livestock exhibit of 60 cattle and 40 horses throughout the journey and the duration of the Fair. Dr. Johnston left for the Fair November 4, and his resignation takes effect November 28.

Mr. Nollet commented: "Dr. Johnston is highly regarded both by those who work for him and those for whom he works, but perhaps most of all by individual livestock breeders who have found him to be highly skilled in his profession."

"The Department regrets very much losing a valuable employee but we extend to him our best wishes for success in his new field."

Having joined the Department in 1950 as assistant veterinarian, Dr. Johnston was appointed provincial veterinarian in 1952.

Born on a farm near Horizon, Sask., in 1918, he was 21 when he joined the air force at the beginning of the Second World War. Two years later he was sent overseas as a sergeant pilot and became operational with No. 12 squadron of the Royal Air Force. While on operations over Germany during the autumn of 1941, he was shot down and taken prisoner. His liberation came at the hands of the British 8th Army in the spring of 1945. On returning to England he received a commission retroactive to November, 1943.

The war over, Dr. Johnson returned to Canada and enrolled at the Ontario Veterinary College at Guelph, Ont., graduating with the degree of Doctor of Veterinary Medicine in 1950. As a student he spent his vacations working with the Health of Animals Branch, Canada Department of Agriculture. The Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture awarded him veterinary scholarships for two consecutive school years, from 1947 to 1949.

Dr. Johnston is a member of the Canada Veterinary Association. He was president of Saskatchewan Veterinary Association in 1955 and is currently secretary. He is also active in Saskatchewan Cattle Breeders' Association, Saskatchewan Horse Breeders' Association and the Saskatchewan Institute of Agrologists. Locally, he is a member of Wascana Kiwanis Club.

Farm business management for farmers

An agricultural short course will be held in November 17 to 21 in Estevan in the north dormitory of the Agricultural Auditorium, Carman Cooke, agricultural representative here, said recently.

Sponsored by the Estevan Agricultural Society and Extension Department, University of Saskatchewan, the course will feature farm management and livestock production. Classes will be held from 10 to 12 a.m. and from 1.30 to 3.30 p.m. There is no charge for the course. Instructors will be Daryll Driver and William Cooper, college-educated farmers hired by the University Extension Department.

VULCAN TO GET SENIOR CITIZENS' HOME

Word was received last week in Vulcan, through Hon. Peter Dawson, M.L.A. for Little Bow, that one of the 50 new homes for the aged will be built at that point. Other points already chosen in Southern Alberta for the construction of Senior Citizens' homes at Pincher Creek, Medicine Hat, Bow Island, Cardston and Raymond. —The Times, High River, Alta.

Linen is made from the flax plant.

Mining interest to explore Northland

Saskatchewan's Minister of Mineral Resources, Hon J. H. Brockelbank, announced recently that an agreement has been completed between the Province of Saskatchewan and a Toronto mining interest, W. S. Kennedy Grubstake 1958, giving the Kennedy interests rights to explore for minerals in the remote Saskatchewan Northlands.

The group, represented by W. S. Kennedy, is interested in approximately 6,000 square miles lying in the William River region, just south of Lake Athabasca in what is known to geologists as the sandstone belt. According to Mr. Brockelbank, the terms of the agreement call for this region to be closed to public staking until a preliminary survey has been completed by the Kennedy interests. On completion of this survey and within six months, the Kennedy organization can earn the exclusive prospecting rights to one-half of the original withdrawal area for further periods, providing specific work commitments are completed by the company within the stated time. At the same time the remaining half of this original area will revert back to the Crown and may be thrown open to prospecting by the minister.

The agreement provides for a total expenditure of $400,000 in exploration costs over periods extending from October 1, 1958 to October 31, 1962. Completion of the company's work obligations within the specified time will give the Kennedy interests the right to choose lands within the reduced withdrawal area to take to lease on a checkerboard pattern. The parcels chosen must be in blocks not greater than six miles square and the area of the land selected cannot exceed 50 percent of the reduced area.

TRANSPORTATION

Railway carloadings declined about 12 percent in the third October week, lowering the cumulative decline to nearly 7.5 percent. Freight volume through Canadian canals during August was close to 5 percent smaller than in August 1957.

About 100 species of fungus are attracted to the skin.

Cuddle clown

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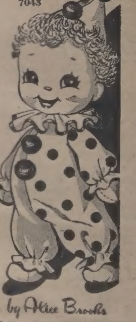

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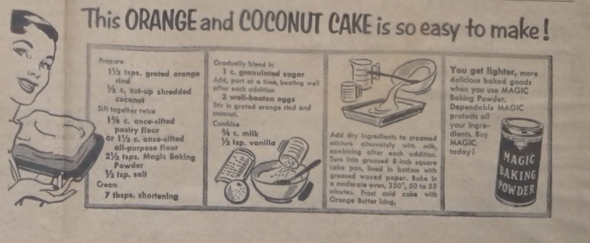

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Prepare
1½ tsps. grated orange rind
½ c. cut-up shredded coconut
Sift together twice
1¾ c. once-sifted pastry flour
or 1⅓ c. once-sifted all-purpose flour
2½ tsps. Magic Baking Powder
½ tsp. salt
Cream
7 tbsps. shortening

Gradually blend in
1 c. granulated sugar
Add, part at a time, beating well after each addition
2 well-beaten eggs
Stir in grated orange rind and coconut.
Combine
¾ c. milk
½ tsp. vanilla

Add dry ingredients to creamed mixture alternately with milk, combining after each addition. Turn into greased 8-inch square cake pan, lined in bottom with greased waxed paper. Bake in a moderate oven, 350°, 50 to 55 minutes. Frost cold cake with Orange Butter Icing.

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Hatch turkeys all year

A call to put turkey production on a year-round basis to make the industry as efficient as possible was made recently at Yorkton by Dr. P. A. Kondra, of the University of Manitoba's poultry department.

He said raising a turkey breedinf flock for a year so hatching eggs could be collected from eight to 10 weeks was "an expensive business". Modern turkey hatcheries and processing plants operating only three months or so and the construction of costly brooding and rearing houses used only part of each year make production expensive. Part-time production, Dr. Kondra said, does not aid specialization and integration, essential to efficient, low-cost production.

The Manitoba poultry specialist said year-round hatching and growing of turkeys is the most significant trend towards improving efficiency of turkey production.

Control of light, temperature and humidity, Dr. Kondra said, is essential for year-round economical production. There is an increasing trend towards growing turkeys in complete confinement because environment can be controlled. Controlling light is especially important if turkey hens are to produce eggs some 10 months of the year. Year-round egg production is necessary to support a turkey broiler industry.

For off-season hatching egg production from poults which hatched in fall and early winter, the light should be restricted to nine hours daily when birds are 20 to 28 weeks old. During the breeding season, light should be on 13 to 15 hours a day.

Complete insulation of the turkey breeder house is necessary to maintain a uniform temperature of about 45 to 50 degrees fahrenheit during winter and below 65 degrees in summer. This requires about four inches of insulation in walls and about six inches in ceiling.

Dr. Kondra recommends windowless poultry houses with emergency openings to take care of power failures and weather extremes. Windows in poultry houses allow great spreads in temperature and do not provide adequate controlled lighting through the year.

Fan ventilation gives greater control of conditions, but any ventilating system should be simple. Complicated ducts and pipes greatly reduce the capacity of the ventilating system.

To take care of extreme conditions, Dr. Kondra says the ventilating fan should have a capacity of one cubic foot of air moved per pound of body weight. This means 400 breeding turkeys each weighing 15 pounds will weigh a total of 6,000 pounds. Fans must be provided to provide a movement of 6,000 cubic feet of air per minute. Two fans each with a cubic foot per minute capacity of 3,000 cfm's each would provide adequate ventilation.

To calculate the size of the air intake, Dr. Kondra says to divide the fan capacity in cubic feet per minute by three. With 6,000 cfm the total area of air intake would be 2,000 square inches. Ten air intakes each 20 by 10 inches would handle the job. Air intakes should be spaced evenly so air will be distributed through the building uniformally.

The fan should be kept operating most of the time by partly closing the fan opening and the fresh air intakes by hand as required. A thermostat is essential as a final safety control.

Dr. Kondra recommends central heating for large-scale turkey brooding. First choice is the hot water system consisting of 1½ to two-inch water pipes for radiation placed along the centre of the pen about 16 inches from the floor. For medium-sized flocks, a central hot air system may be used to maintain room temperature at 70 degrees fahrenheit, supplemented with heat bulbs the first three weeks.

Mechanization reduces labor costs. Mechanical poultry house cleaners, self-waterers, mechanical feeders, and roll-out nests all have a place in the turkey breeding flock. Wire or slatted floors, however, have not proved satisfactory yet.

A contribution

Have a contribution via the mail this week. I don't know who sent it in or who wrote it. We are not in the habit of printing unsigned articles, but this is rather a nice poem, and is worthy of memorizing by any one who drives.

Give This A Little Thought

When I am driving on the street
Where little folks I'm apt to meet
Who dash across the street in play—I hope I'll drive in just the way,
That I would drive if mine were there
Upon that crowded thoroughfare.
Remember — It Won't Kill You!

The Weekly News, Leader, Sask.

Venue, in criminal law, is the proper area of jurisdiction for the trial of a crime by indictment.

4-H CLUB AMBASSADORS—Left to right, back row: Gary McKenzie, Belbeck; Irwin Catley, Craven; Harold Schmidt, Melville; R. E. Brack, supervisor, extension specialist, Dept. of Agriculture; Lorne M. Stalwick, supervisor, Ag. Rep. Dept. Agriculture; Graham Ritchie, Zealandia; Ray Harmel, Maidstone; Gary Meekins, Lac Vert; Edgar Dahl, Beatty.

Front row: Miss Thelma Howard, Supervisor, girls work, University of Sask.; Lorraine Lee, Milestone; Karen Christensen, Borden; Carol Batham, Antelope; Premier T. C. Douglas; Marion Sutherland, Borden; Carolyn Lasby, Pense; Sharon Ketcheson, Pense; Dorothy Jones, Netherhill.

Oil tour successful despite mud

Steelman mud, close to the consistency of Steelman crude oil, put a stop to the Canadian Petroleum Association's two-bus tour of oilfields in the Estevan area.

The tour, organized and staged to familiarize representatives of the government, press, public service and other capacities with oil producing pipeline and other oilfield installations, had progressed on schedule from Regina until the mud of the Steelman area was encountered.

At that point the buses ran into real progress problems and the tour had to be abandoned. With the assistance of a couple of winch trucks, the buses were turned around and the tour proceeded to Estevan where an evening dinner was served in the Thieves' Kitchen. Later the tour returned to Regina.

But the partial tour was far from being a lost cause, either for the Canadian Petroleum Association or the more than 60 people on it.

The CPA aims to establish a better understanding between the petroleum and natural gas industry and the public; to encourage co-operation between the petroleum and natural gas industry and federal, provincial and local governments and other authoritative bodies; to provide common ground for discussion of matters affecting its members, and to foster better understanding between itself and other organizations with similar objectives and purposes.

Even more than that, as G. B. McGillivray, manager of the Saskatchewan division of the CPA, explained, "we are greatly concerned about getting across our message, an explanation of our problems, an understanding of our position in this country's economy and particularly our day-to-day relationships with many people outside the oil industry who are affected directly and indirectly today by petroleum exploration and development."

"Certainly," he told The Mercury, "oil development isn't simply a matter of digging a hole in the ground and then piping the crude oil off to some refinery and we had hoped to be able to show you some of our production problems along the way."

In the Weyburn field, visited at the start of the tour, was an installation that itself clearly showed oil production to be a rather complex business, because it has brought automation to the oilfields.

It is an automatic tank battery, installed by Mobil Oil of Canada in July, 1957, and it represents the first completely automatic production facilities in Canada. Mobil Oil has three such installations in the field.

In effect, what this installation does is simply take crude oil from any one, or all of eight different wells, measure and record the production, treat the oil to separate the crude from gas, water and other impurities, store the clean crude in storage tanks and/or transfer it to a pipeline for shipment elsewhere. A program can be set up so that the whole operation can be left unattended for a week and even a well or two can go bad without upsetting the whole operation.

The visit to the automatic battery was followed by a continuation of the tour to Shell Oil Company's pipe yard in the north end of the Midale field where a lunch was served through courtesy of Producers' Pipelines Ltd., and Shell Oil.

All along the route through the Weyburn and Midale fields were the rocking-beam type of pumps working unattended at their job of extracting the crude oil from the productive rock formations nearly a mile below the surface. Half of the wells in the Weyburn field require pumping while the other half are flowing wells. Practically all of the wells in the Midale field require pumping.

Facts and figures presented by CPA show that it costs between $76,000 and $77,500 to drill an oil well in Weyburn, Midale and Steelman fields. With 260 wells in the Midale field, 708 in the Steelman field and 342 in the Weyburn field, that means that the oil industry has spent well over 10,000,000 in drilling and completing oil wells capable of production. That figure does not include the costs of the hundreds of "dry" wells that have been drilled hopefully but have been abandoned.

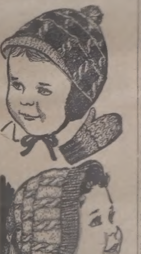
It doesn't take too much calculating to figure out that with each well being permitted to produce 40 barrels per day at a selling price of around $2.50 per barrel, it is going to take a long time to pay for the drilling costs. And, of course, there are continuing costs for each producing well.

While many other interesting events had been planned for the balance of the tour, Steelman mud was either too unyielding, or too yielding to permit the tourists to see them.

Speaking briefly at the dinner at Estevan, C. E. Leach, manager of Tidewater Oil Company at Regina and chairman of the board of directors of Saskatchewan division CPA, commented, "We can only hope that we have attained part of some of our aims."

To which Hon. J. H. Brocklebank, minister of mineral resources, replied that, "Certainly the tour had enabled the guests to become better acquainted with the people of the oil industry and to learn something about some of the industry's problems."—The Mercury, Estevan, Sask.

Quick to knit



Protect "small-fry" from winter's colds and chills with this soft, warm set. Easy!

Takes little time to knit! Beautiful in 2 colors of sport yarn. Note cables, earflaps. Pattern 7204: directions to fit children 1, 2, 3 years old.

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SLAVERY ABOLISHED

Slavery was outlawed in Canada 40 years before it was abolished in Britain. Further introduction of slaves into Upper Canada was prohibited in 1793, and soon after in the other colonies.

Sask. 4-H Club ambassadors travel to Winter Fair

Saskatchewan's 14 top 4-H Club members met with Premier T. C. Douglas in Regina, Wednesday, November 12. The group of young people, ranging in age from 16 to 20 years, are the province's delegates to the national 4-H Club Week in Toronto. Dressed in navy blazers with grey flannels or skirts, they sat around the heavy oak table in the Executive Council's sober tapestry panelled office and chatted with Mr. Douglas. The table is normally used by cabinet ministers.

The 14 youthful travellers, who arrived in Toronto Saturday, November 15, have been selected from 4-H Clubs in all parts of Saskatchewan by the Extension Department of the University of Saskatchewan. The basis of selection was the contribution made by each delegate to the welfare of his or her club and community, as well as provincial competitions.

On Tuesday, the 14 were entertained at a banquet in Saskatoon by the Department of Agriculture. They arrived in Regina on Wednesday for a full day's activities. Luncheon at the Hotel Saskatchewan was sponsored by the Regina Exhibition Association, followed by their visit to the Premier's office. Later, touring the Department of Agriculture, the delegates met A. F. Shaw, acting deputy minister and L. J. Hutchison, director of the agricultural representative Branch. A visit to the Museum of Natural History was followed by a dinner, sponsored by Saskatchewan Power Corporation and a programme of entertainment courtesy of the Imperial Oil Co. Ltd. Thursday morning they were guests of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool.

The delegates left Thursday by train for Toronto, for a week of educational activities and entertainment. A major event of the week will be a visit to the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair on Tuesday, November 18.

Local postmaster has "Irish Stew" A La Sputnik

Jack B. Hurley, our local postmaster, one day last week thought it would be an excellent time to have a feed of Irish Stew while his wife, Mrs Hurley and son Frankie, were visiting friends in Ottawa.

Jack proceeded to put his favorite canned food in a pan of water and placed same on the stove. His supper was almost ready when the telephone rang. He was reminded that it was more than ready when an explosion occurred in the kitchen painting the ceiling, walls, furniture, etc., a different color. This happened around 6.30 p.m., and the next morning at around three o'clock he had the kitchen completely washed and looking spic and span. "The next time you phone me and I do not answer immediately," said Jack, "you will know the reason why."—The Eastern Ont. Review, Vankleek Hill, Ont.

GOOD ADVICE IN CHURCH

Comments on a United Church order of service could be well observed by members of all denominations. One item stated: "If you must whisper in church, let it be a prayer." Another said: "As we enter this sanctuary, we should speak to God. As we continue here, God may speak to us. As we depart, let us speak to each other."—The War Cry.

IN HIS FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS—A 17-year-old native of New Westminster, B.C., John C. Sawiki, has lived in the shadow of the Army all his life, and liked it so much that he enrolled last summer in Soest, Germany, as an Army soldier-apprentice.

He has begun training at the Royal Canadian School of Artillery at Camp Shilo, Man.

His father is an Ordnance Corps sergeant-major attached to the Royal Canadian Dragoons and stationed in Werl, Germany. John senior, began his Army career one year before young John was born, when he enlisted in the Rocky Mountain Rangers and later transferred to the New Westminster Regiment. He is a veteran of service in the United Kingdom, Northwest Europe and Korea.

Young John lost no time last July in signing-on after learning that vacancies existed for a new group of soldier-apprentices to begin training. On August 25th he left Werl, Germany, to sail for home. At Camp Shilo he starts his Army career with two years of study to complete his formal education while receiving early military training. On graduation he will serve a minimum of three years as a Regular Army trained soldier. —Canadian Army photo.

Because the bassoon lends itself to comic effects, it has been called the humorist of the orchestra.

Top Place for Lowly Potato

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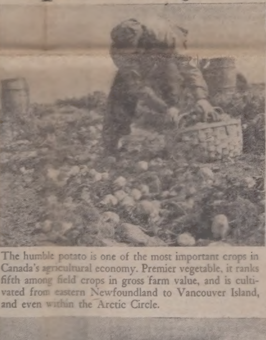

The humble potato is one of the most important crops in Canada's agricultural economy. Premier vegetable, it ranks fifth among field crops in gross farm value, and is cultivated from eastern Newfoundland to Vancouver Island, and even within the Arctic Circle.

An inspector for the Federal Department of Agriculture spot checks bags of table potatoes on a railway freight car at Grand Falls, N.B. Recently, inspection of potatoes at the retail level has begun. Potatoes rank second (after rice) as major food of the world's population.

For nearly half a century potato growers in many parts of the world have looked to Canada for their seed. There are good reasons for this. Canadian seed potatoes are noted for their vigour and freedom from disease. The cool growing conditions in Canada's highly specialized potato growing areas such as the maritimes especially favour the crop. Frequently harvesting machines which pick and place the potatoes in containers are employed, but the gravelly soil in the New Denmark area of New Brunswick (above) does not lend itself to mechanical harvesting.

(National Film Board of Canada Photos by Herb Taylor.

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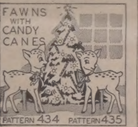
Highway accidents

Motor vehicle traffic accidents took 344 lives in August this year compared to 355 in the same 1957 month, according to preliminary figures. The number killed in the second quarter this year was 740 compared to 752 last year, and for the first half of the year totalled 1,276 against 1,287 in 1957.

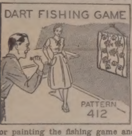
Coy fawns

Coy fawns flirting over a candy cane make an amusing Christmas decoration to use out of doors or beside the Christmas tree. The actual-size patterns for these gay 21-inch cut-out figures are 40c each. These two patterns (434 and 435) also are included in packet 55 which gives two styles of Santa cut-outs for your lawn all for $1.75.



Dart fishing game

Dart and bean bag games are fun and colorful versions of them may be made at home. Pattern 412, which shows how to make darts and gives actual-size guides for painting the fishing game and for cut-out rabbits to be knocked over, is 40c. It also is in the Rumpus Room Game Packet No. 14 which gives seven other games —all for $1.75.



Costume marvels

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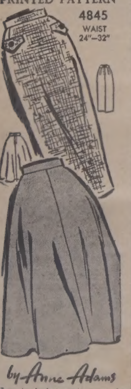

How to look smart every day out of the seven? Whip up two skirts—one slim, one flared to mix-match with all your tops. Beginner-easy to sew, choose glowing tweed or vibrant color.

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Tin Lizzie still remembered as versatile, reliable auto

Forerunner of fifteen million of its kind, the first Model T Ford began to chug its way down the highway of history on October 1, 1908.

This was the "universal" car that would take you anywhere and bring you back. It was the flivver, the jitney, the puddle-jumper, the Tin Lizzie. It was the car that became a world institution, a personality, a member of the family. People loved it, laughed at it, swore at it, tussled with it, and lavished upon it an affection rarely accorded an inanimate thing. It was the central character in a million human dramas and the butt of countless jokes.

When the Model T made its appearance 50 years ago, Henry Ford admitted it was not the best car he knew how to design. He merely said the roads of 1908 were bad. He was going to build a car that would run through anything. He did.

The essence of the Model T was its simplicity and dependability. Mass production made it possible for almost anyone to own one. At one time the Model T sold in the United States for $290, without extras.

From its introduction in October, 1908, until it gave way to the equally beloved Model A in 1927, more than 15,000,000 Model T's were built, of which 755,000 came from the plants of Ford Motor Co. of Canada. It is estimated that some 85,000 Model T's are still in service on the roads of the world, of which about 12,000 are believed to be in Canada.

Most people of generations contemporary with Model T have a mental image of a touring car with a bunty black body and a flapping fabric top.

It was not its beauty, but its heart, its guts, and even its sheer perversities, that made the Model T the wonderful, unforgettable car that it was. It had a wiry strength, a defiance of obstacles, and an almost indestructible quality about it.

Driving the Model "T"

The operation of a Model T required a devil-may-care spirit, infinite patience, a world of confidence, no little mechanical ingenuity and, above all, a special "feel" for the particular car. Each specimen of the breed had its own weird quirks, which it demonstrated with fiendish cunning at the most inopportune times.

There were things one simply had to know about Model T's that probably were never spelled out in an owner's manual. The art of cranking, for example. The choke wire had to be pulled out just so far. The spark and throttle levers had to be in exactly the right notches. On gripping the crank handle with the fingers only; to wrap the thumb around it was to invite a fractured arm or dislocated thumb, because the crank often back-lashed viciously. Cranking was accomplished by a quick upward flip, a trick acquired by practice. Sometimes the engine caught immediately, more often it was stubborn.

If the emergency brake had not been applied to the full, the Model T had a habit of leaping forward when the engine started, nuzzling the driver against curb or wall. To save himself, he had either to leap aside or brace himself against the radiator to hold the car.

Once mounted on the throne-like seat, the driver gently released the emergency, at the same time pressing the low speed pedal to the floor. The throttle lever was moved a few notches and the car leaped forward with a roar. As it gained speed, the clutch pedal was released and the car shifted with a jerk into its high gear. In the early models there was an upright handle for reverse, but this soon was replaced by a foot pedal, making three pedals in line—clutch, brake and reverse.

Hills in Reverse

The Model T—and its driver—usually preferred to climb long, steep hills in reverse. The strategy was to approach the grade lickety-split, with the hope of breasting the hill before the engine stalled for want of fuel. If this failed, one simply turned around in the middle of the road—the Model T's 100-inch wheelbase made possible a full turn in a 12-foot circle.

By backing up the hill, the gasoline in the tank under the seat flowed to the carburetor. Moreover, the dry, hot main bearing, deprived of oil on the upward climb because of the splash-and-gravity system, received lubrication when the car was backing up the hill.

Baling wire repairs

In the tradition of the car that would take you anywhere and bring you back, the Model T was astonishingly amenable to almost any repair expedient the driver might devise in an emergency. It would run, though with great protest, on coal oil, naphtha, or methylated spirits, if even a little gasoline remained in the tank to provide adequate volatility.

At least one driver, stranded without oil far from any garage, filled his crankcase with butter and drove home in triumph.

It was said that a pinch or two of oatmeal would seal a small leak in the radiator, and a handful of ground cork, or even corn meal, was sometimes mixed with heavy grease to soften the roar of worn gears in the rear end.

Bits of haywire, bent nails, clippings from copper chimney flashing, scraps of inner tube rubber, lengths of fishline, and other strange odds and ends played an extraordinary role in keeping Model T's on the road. And every car, as a matter of course, had a well-stocked chest of tools and a sturdy tow rope.

Tires were the bane of the motorist's existence. A tire that gave 1,000 miles of service without repair was unusual; any tire that ran for 3,000 miles before being discarded was considered to be extra special. Every Model T owner had at least two spares in the tool compartment or attached to the rear of the car, with some added insurance in the form of extra tubes, tire "boots", tubes of rubber cement, and a plentiful supply of assorted patches.

It's recorded that some owners, down to their last resources, managed to limp home with grass stuffed in the tire casing as a substitute for an inflated tube, or with heavy rope coiled around the rim.

Some exploits

Such was the interest focused upon the Model T that within a matter of months after introduction, Model T's were finding their way into almost every corner of the globe. Their owners took at face value the oft-repeated slogan, "The car that will take you anywhere and bring you back." They tested the ruggedness and dependability of the car to the limit.

Reports began to come in about the performance of the Model T on safari for lions in Africa and on tiger and elephant hunts in India. As early as 1912 a fleet of Model T's taxied tourists to see the Sphinx and the pyramids in Egypt.

In April, 1912, C. F. Pfrimmer took his family from Muskogee, Oklahoma, to Wetaskiwin, Alberta, and back again, a distance of 3,000 miles and one of the longest motor trips taken in America up to that time by a family.

The Model T was put to some uses that were unusual, to say the least. A wealthy African chieftain traded a large herd of cattle (and possibly a wife or two) for a Model T touring, but having neither readily available gasoline nor roads to drive upon, resorted to manpower. Sitting majestically behind the steering wheel, he had his car hoisted aloft on long poles borne on the shoulders of his tribesmen, and made a triumphal march through his jungle kingdom. An Indian maharajah made the proudest show of all, it is said, by mounting seven shiny new Model T's upon the backs of as many elephants to carry himself and his retinue in a Durbar about 1910 or 1911.

Butt of jokes

Jokes about Ford and the Model T were standard stock in trade of every comedian of the era, professional and amateur. There were so many that enterprising publishers put out books of Ford stories, which Mr. Ford encouraged as a cheap form of advertising. He was not bothered one whit by the fact some of the stories were personally offensive, even cruel.

Perusing the "joke" books today, one wonders why audiences rolled in the aisles when some vaudeville comic pulled a snapper like this:

"Why is your Model T painted red?"

"Don't you know the law requires that all tin cans containing gasoline be painted red?"

Or the man about to die, whose deathbed request was that his Model T be buried with him, because he had never been in a hole his Model T didn't get him out of.

How the Model T got the name "Tin Lizzie" has never been explained. Actually, there was only seven ounces of tin in it. The name "flivver" was explained by the English writer, Eric Patridge, as "a blend or confusion of the two words, flopper and fizzler."

Whatever they called the Model T, the names more often than not were terms of endearment, rather than of contempt. — The Times, Wetaskiwin, Times.

SEALING WAX

Modern sealing wax usually does not contain any wax, although that used in the Middle Ages was a mixture of turpentine and beeswax.

BEST BATTERY IN 2 RCHA — The Roberts trophy, emblematic of the best battery in the 2nd Regiment, Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, stationed at Fort Osborne Barracks, Winnipeg, has been awarded to "E" Battery commanded by Major R. N. (Robbie) McKay of Winnipeg, left. Here, Major McKay tells WO2 Doug Thomas of Ottawa, the Battery Sergeant-Major, to put the trophy in a prominent place where all gunners can see it. The trophy is awarded annually. —Canadian Army photo.

Park birds need grain

A special appeal has gone out to farmers in the Portage la Prairie district to donate grain and alfalfa for a large flock of ducks, geese and other birds and animals wintering at Island Park.

A large increase in the number of birds wintering at the park this year has cut down considerably the grain in storage bins for regular feeding of park birds and animals.

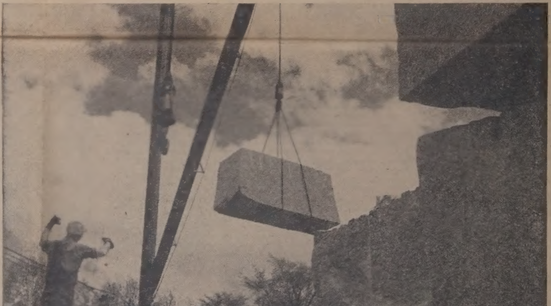
J. C. MacInnes, superintendent of the park, said he expects to winter more than 100 geese and ducks. These are in addition to a number of guinea hens, bantams, Amhearst and Golden Pheasants, and other types of pheasants.

An average of 40 bushels of barley a day is used to feed the stock at the park. The deer nerd feed, while not in extreme short supply, is going down, and Mr. MacInnes said he could use some alfalfa to be sure of enough feed for the animals.—The Enterprise, Portage la Prairie, Man.

FIRST IN FURS

Ontario, the province with the largest population and the largest number of cities and towns, ranks first in furs taken from wild life.

Granite Quarries Humming



Granite, one of the finest and most permanent of building stones, is found in almost every province in Canada. The Stanstead district of Quebec is one of the most important granite producing areas of the country and its quarries hum from dawn to dusk, turning out stone for the many new buildings and bridges being constructed from coast, to coast. Above, foreman Tom Archer directs placing of 40 ton block by hoist.

It will take Melton Heth (left) and Dave Stuart (right) one hour with the aid of a jack hammer to cut out a block of granite 10′ x 5′ x 6′.

National Film Board of Canada Photos by Chris Lund.

Sand blaster Ernest Patenaude carves a choice block of "Stanstead Grey" granite for use as the cornerstone of a new Montreal building. Curb stones for the Massachusetts Turnpike came from these quarries.

Nursing home program planned

A comprehensive nursing home program, to meet the needs of those older Albertans who cannot efficiently be served by the active hospitals or the homes for senior citizens, has been proposed by the Hon. Dr. J. D. Ross, Minister of Health for Alberta.

The program will be operated on a basis similar to that for the active treatment hospitalization plan introduced this year. These proposed nursing homes will be built with provincial funds, and operating costs shared with the province by patient and municipality.

A survey by the Alberta department of health indicated between 2500 and 3000 new beds may be required to care for the chronically ill. Present chronic hospitals provide about 500 beds and there may be more in private nursing homes of acceptable standards.

Present plans call for erection of chronic hospitals in sizes of multiples of a basic 25-bed unit, according to area demand. The smaller units are deemed desirable to best maintain the high level of bedside nursing care necessary for patient welfare.

It is proposed the new units would be built closely adjacent to active treatment hospitals, so services of the latter such as X-ray, laboratory, laundry-diatary, might best be utilized. It is hoped the hospitals might be largely staffed by nurses aides, who are now graduating from training schools in Edmonton and Calgary at the rate of 450 a year.

Egg is freak of week

Now that the season for freak garden stuffs and vegetables is over, the hens are getting into the limelight. Ed Gaertner of Leipzig, brought in an egg that must have given some hen a lot of worry as it isn't egg-shaped at all, more resembling a cylinder of some kind. It is 3¼ inches long and only five inches around the midriff, and almost even in size from top to bottom. Quite possibly it a double-yolker or maybe a triple, but we have not come around to testing it out as yet.—The Press, Wilkie, Sask.

In the first six months of 1958 immigration to Canada totalled 67,744, compared to 182,426 in the January-June period of 1957.

Home made trencher does the job

Bromhead farmer, Earl Joice, is a man who can take a good idea and improve it.

Mr. Joice ran plastic waterpipe to his house, barn and pasture to provide them with running water. Pipe was laid in 300 feet of ditch, eight feet deep, dug with the trencher he first heard about on the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture's farm broadcast.

Encountering difficulty getting the trencher's disc blade to bite into clay soil, Mr. Joice invented a second machine, the spiker. The spiker was used to loosen soil ahead of the trencher so it could disc dirt out.

Mr. Joice's spiker is made from an old cultivator shank with draw irons hitched to the tractor. It has eight inches of spike ripping soil. Behind the spike is a handle made from cultivator irons which allows a man to guide the spiker and help keep it in the soil.

Mr. Joice says both the spiker and the trencher must be strong enough to cause the tractor wheels to spin without the implement breaking.

Digging in clay to his barn, the Bromhead farmer made three runs up the ditch with the spiker. The ditcher then loaded soil easily. He had a tractor with a front-end loader to push dirt out of the hole and also to fill the ditch.

Since a cave-in could be quite serious in an eight-foot ditch, Mr. Joice had his plastic pipe laid immediately behind the digging area with soil being filled from behind. This meant only a minimum area of the ditch was open at one time, lessening chances of someone being trapped in a cave-in.

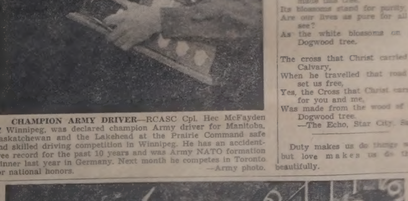
Mr. Joice says about 40 feet of ditch a day would be an average day's work, depending on the type of soil.

In sand, Mr. Joice reports the trencher worked quite well alone. He built it by attaching a tiller blade with a beam about four feet long. With a handle on the back and 40 degrees of lean on the blade face and the beam, the machine worked quite well. He attached about 40 feet of cable to the front end of the tractor and the ditcher. He hitched it to the front end so the tractor operator could see how well the ditcher was working.

Mr. Joice says the hardest work was pulling the ditcher back by hand for a second load.

In his letter, Mr. Joice said, "I am thankful to your radio program in giving me the idea. If my information will help someone else I will gladly give any help I can."

CHAMPION ARMY DRIVER—RCASC Cpl. Hec McFayden of Winnipeg, was declared champion Army driver for Manitoba, Saskatchewan and the Lakehead at the Prairie Command safe and skilled driving competition in Winnipeg. He has an accident-free record for the past 10 years and was Army NATO formation winner last year in Germany. Next month he competes in Toronto for national honors. —Army photo.



LIONEL V. J. ROY, Charge d'affaires of the Canadian Embassy, was host at a reception held at the Canadian Embassy residence in Mexico City in honor of Canadian delegates attending the 11th World's Poultry Congress. Pictured above are Mauricio Gerdes, C. J. Van Tighem, Commercial Counsellor of the Canadian Embassy, Mrs. Mauricio Gerdes, A. D. Davey, of Ottawa, head of the Canadian Delegation to the Congress, and Charge d'affaires Roy.

AIR FORCE YOUNGSTERS GREET PM—Prime Minister John Diefenbaker smilingly acknowledges the welcome given him by children of Air Force personnel at the National Defence School at Grostenquin, France, during his visit to the RCAF's No. 2 Fighter Wing base there. The visit to the Air Force base was a scheduled stop on his round-the-world tour. RCAF photo.

Kilpatrick winner of first N.H.L. photo contest

James R. (Scotty) Kilpatrick, ace photographer of the Detroit News, was the winner of the first National Hockey League photo contest. The N.H.L. inaugurated this contest in 1957-58 for the best hockey photos published in the six National League cities.

In the preliminary selections the three best photos from each of the N.H.L. cities were made and the prizes awarded to the photographers were $100 for 1st prize, $75 for 2nd prize, and $50 for 3rd prize.

The winners from each of the N.H.L. cities were then judged upon for the final result of the best photograph published in the eyes of the judges who were the photo editors in New York of the Associated Press and United Press International.

A beautiful trophy will be presented to Kilpatrick which will be retained by him permanently.

The Dogwood Tree

(Composed by Mrs. Chris Caldwell,
Box 525, Alberni, B.C.)

The dogwood tree is a pretty sight,
In the month of May in the
morning light.
It stands as stately as a queen
With its white blossoms among
the green.

As you travel along the Queen's
highway,
You can see its beauty all the day,
For it grows wild on the mountain side,
British Columbia should look on
their flower with pride.

When you think that God has
made this tree,
Its blossoms stand for purity,
Are our lives as pure for all to
see?
As the white blossoms on the
Dogwood tree.

The cross that Christ carried to
Calvary,
When he travelled that road to
set us free,
Yes, the Cross that Christ carried
for you and me,
Was made from the wood of the
Dogwood tree.
—The Echo, Star City, Sask.

Duty makes us do things well, but love makes us do them beautifully.

Canadian Red Cross disaster relief at Springhill

The Canadian Red Cross reported recently that its expenditure for disaster relief at Springhill now totals $20,000.

The figure was announced at Nova Scotia Division headquarters in Halifax. Officials stated the money had been spent primarily for new clothing for the miners working at their grim task in the depths of the ill-fated mine.

Mine officials have requested Red Cross to continue to issue a complete change of work clothing for every shift until the task is completed.

The Red Cross relief effort started on the evening of October 23. Branch disaster workers were at the pithead within a half hour after news of the bump was announced. Within hours a supply of serum albumin was rushed to Springhill from the Red Cross blood depot in Halifax by Royal Canadian Navy helicopter.

Nova Scotia Division sent a portable hospital and a mobile canteen to the scene on the following day. A mobile disaster unit and a dozen disaster workers from New Brunswick Division arrived th same day. A group of volunteers from Prince Edward Island joined their Red Cross colleagues later in the day.

Harvey R. Doane, president of Nova Scotia Division of the Red Cross, praised the many volunteers who participated in relief work of all kinds. He reported men, women and young people from all parts of the province as well as from New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island have come to the ill-fated town to work beside members of the Springhill branch. Approximately 150 volunteers were on duty at various jobs every day. It is estimated that volunteers have contributed over 15,000 hours of their time in relief work.

A rough estimate of the articles distributed to the miners includes 20,000 cigarettes, 5,000 candy bars, 2,800 bottles of soft drinks and 880 plugs of chewing tobacco.

The clothing consisted of 2,500 sweatshirts and T-shirts, 1,100 sets of overalls, 1,200 pairs of rubberized gloves, 1,780 pairs of socks, 1,050 suits of underwear and 2,190 towels.

Large quantities of food were also distributed by the Red Cross to the families of the men trapped in the mine. This has been donated by people and firms in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. These gifts have included five tons of potatoes, hundreds of pounds of vegetables and butter, cases of eggs and a large quantity of canned goods.

Jumper-dress
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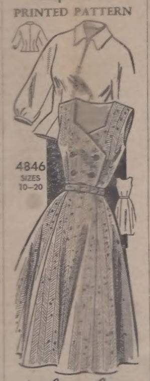

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Exchange between two town libraries

Indian Head library board spent a pleasant and profitable afternoon last Thursday in Grenfell library, where they met with the Grenfell library board to discuss the joint buying of certain types of non-fiction which, though not widely read, have an important role in the over-all reading picture. In addition, a shelf of exchange books, both fiction and non-fiction, was returned to Grenfell after a year of service on local shelves, and a new supply of 8 non-fiction and 18 fiction titles was brought back for local readers. Grenfell receives, and returns, a similar number from here in the spring.

Besides the Grenfell exchange books some new adult books have recently been placed on our shelves. —The News, Indian Head, Sask.

HITTING HIGH MARKS

Senior referee in the National Hockey League, Red Storey, worked his 500th N.H.L. game as a referee the other night. Another official who hit a high mark since the current season got underway was George Hayes. Hayes hit the 1000-mark in N.H.L. games worked as a lineman.

He enclosed a sketch of his spiker and ditcher with the letter.

Editorials from Canadian Weekly Newspapers

(These are not necessarily the views of the editor of this paper)

Silly fads

(The Times, Wawota, Sask.)

We must be careful to keep silly fads from ruining us and our economy. We let stylists tell us that we won't look good in the clothes they design if we get any fatter than an icicle on a hot day. So we diet—and buy clothes which do nothing for anyone but the designer.

When we diet one of the first things we cut down on is starchy foods, and they include the thing we have plenty of, baby, wheat. We were at a country feast the other evening where one of our favorite pastimes was spearing huge slices of home-baked bread. Now you can't make home-made bread properly without using plenty of flour. There is none of this namby-pamby 20-ounce loaf to home-made bread. It has to have the weight and with weight it has substance. It has the old-fashioned desirable quality of sticking to your ribs, and there has been many an acre cleared, many a mile walked and many a girl (or man) won by people whose bodies were nourished by home-baked bread and whose faces showed it by the radiation of life—not fall-out.

Do you realize that if each of our 16,000,000 population (for easy figuring) ate one ounce more of wheat each day we would consume one million pounds more wheat per day? Soon the only surplus we might have would be weight, but as it would take more cloth to cover us someone else would benefit as well as the producers of wheat.

We suggest that the wheat board have a public relations office which would show how attractive girls can be when they fit their clothes instead of looking like draped droops. If some of them don't like it they can start taking exercise. But a popular law would be one which would make bakers put more wheat into bread. We don't believe it would be necessary to pass another law making it compulsory to eat half a loaf every day, either. Not with the kind of bread we have in mind.

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Old time publishers left their mark

(The Globe, Lacombe, Alta.)

The most heart-warming aspect of the recent Alberta weekly newspapers association convention held at Edmonton was the presentation of two honorary life memberships to Leonard D. Nesbitt and Rae L. King. Both are deans in the weekly publishing field. Mr. Nesbitt, who was formerly editor at Bassano and Brooks, has earned the retirement which he now enjoys at Calgary. Mr. King boasts 53 years' experience with weeklies, and he is still active today as editor of the Camrose Canadian. His editorial page placed first in the judging competition for "better newspapers," this year.

The manner in which both gentlemen replied to the honor which had been bestowed on them by the association so moved the audience that there were lumps in the throat and tears in the eyes. It was no spectacle of pity to see two such men, proud and erect, accepting the honor with humble thanks. There was a little humor, as neither claimed he could identify himself from the excellent introductory remarks. There was also more than a little pathos, as each turned to reminiscing about the earlier days.

It was here that the thoughts of today's generation were turned back a quarter or half a century. The name of Bob Edwards stands unique in weekly journalism circles, but the names of solid citizens like the late A. L. Horton of Vegreville, Charles Clark of High River, Charles Willis of Stettler, and many others were resurrected, and their accomplishments and contributions to the weekly field recognized.

We owe a great deal to pioneer publishers, not the least of whom are Mr. Nesbitt and Mr. King.

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The dividing line

(The Stanstead Journal, Rock Island, Stanstead, Quebec)

If you live near a large lake as we do here, and are fortunate enough to have a summer home, you probably let go reluctantly within the past few weeks and closed it up for the winter.

How final it is, that last turn of the key. You could almost expect to turn around and see the snow falling.

Most of us don't close up on Labor Day. We like to think of those beautiful fall days with colored leaves when we can go back to the cottage for a weekend or even just for a Sunday. With high expectations we leave the water on, perhaps even some stable items of food. If we are lucky, perhaps we get back a couple of times, still hanging on, hoping for more.

Finally, the day comes when we have to face it. What a desolate, lonely place it is. No neighbors to talk to, no happy children playing, no noise of outboards. Just a cold, raw wind from the lake, Junior's toys on the living room floor where he left them the last time you were down. The leaves are gone from the trees now and everything looks different.

So, you turn off the pump, clean out the canned goods, gather up the bedding and clothes, load up the car and just stand there remembering how it was last summer when the windows were open to a welcome lake breeze and the hammock looked so inviting out under the trees.

Another summer is gone. Next year may be all right, but the children will be a year older, some friends you made this year probably won't be back. You enjoyed the summer, and you enjoy the memories that come back to you as you stand there in the door, but there is sadness, too. When you turn the key in the lock for the last time, summer is over, you almost expect to see snow falling as you drive away.

WASSAIL

Wassail is the name for the ancient form of "toasting," the term being applied later to the Christmas feasting and revelries and particularly to the bowl of spiced ale or wine which was a feature of the medieval Christmas.

NEWFOUNDLAND DOG

The Newfoundland dog, famous swimmer and life-saver likely descends from sheep dogs brought out by Basque fishermen more than 400 years ago; it is probable that the sheep dogs were later crossed with English spaniels.

Two scholarships awarded by CPR

Two scholarships awarded annually by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to employees under 21 or to minor sons and daughters of employees, can now be used to take a Bachelor of Science in Agriculture course, it was announced recently by R. A. Emerson, vice-president of the company.

The course is of four years duration and is given in the Faculty of Agriculture section at Macdonald College. Previously, the CPR scholarships have been awarded only for Engineering or Arts and Science courses at McGill University.

Mr. Emerson said that the scholarships had been extended because of Canadian Pacific's continuing interest in agricultural development.

In addition to the agricultural course, the scholarships may be used for courses in Chemical, Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering, Architecture, Arts and Science, all at McGill—or in Household Science at Macdonald College. Periods of study are from three to six years.

The scholarships will be awarded upon the recommendation of the University Scholarship Committee, based upon matriculation results and the candidate's school record.

Application for certificates to enter the competition should be made to T. E. Brady, superintendent of pensions and staff registrar, Windsor Station, Montreal.

Manitoba road building program

A $33,000,000, 1,900-mile road construction and paving program was unveiled in the Legislature (November 5) and with it came a statement from public works minister Errick Willis that more would be forthcoming in a few months' time.

Announcement of the giant program came on the heels of a $35,300,000 capital supply bill for highways. An estimated $2,300,000 is recoverable from the federal government for its share of Trans-Canada highway work, leaving a net of $33,000,000 to be borne by the province.

This compares with a net $20,500,000 for trunk highways in the capital part of the 1958 road program approved last winter.

Mr. Willis said the principle feature of the 1959 highways undertaking, apart from its size, would be a heavy emphasis on a higher standard of sub-grade and surfacing, to meet the demands of modern heavy trucking and high-speed auto traffic.

Future four-lane highways will have divider strips, he said, as a greater safety measure, and that existing four-laners without dividing strips would have them added later.

Some indispensable advice

Sometime when you're feeling important,
Sometime when your ego's in bloom,
Sometime when you take it for granted
You're the best qualified in the room,
Sometime, when you feel your going
Would leave an unfillable hole,
Just follow this simple instruction
And see how it humbles your soul:

Take a bucket and fill it with water,
Put your hand in up to your wrist;
Pull it out; and the hole that's remaining
Is a measure of how you'll be missed.

You may splash all you please when you enter,
You can stir up the water galore
But stop, and you'll find in a minute
That it looks quite the same as before.

The moral of this quaint example
Is just do the best you can;
Be proud of yourself, but remember,
There is NO indispenable man.

—Author Unkonwn.
—The Weekly Broadcast, Lucky Lake, Sask.

Jennifer M. Walker awarded fellowship

Jennifer M. Walker of Winnipeg has been awarded a C-I-L fellowship for advanced study in the field of wildlife management, it was announced recently by S. J. Smart, general manager of the company's ammunition division. Miss Walker will be doing her studies at the University of Manitoba where she will investigate the vegetation of the Delta Marsh in southern Manitoba. Her award is one of seven fellowships granted this year to post-graduate students at various Canadian universities as part of the wildlife conservation program inaugurated in 1954 by the ammunition division of Canadian Industries Limited.

Most common of all fish are herring.

Wartime editor again takes helm

A remarkable man is H. T. H. Ellis, Qu'Appelle, who with Cliff Hunt of Indian Head once got out a newpaper. As a matter of fact, Mr. Ellis is still getting out a newspaper.

Known to many at Indian Head, H. T. H. Ellis, or "Heber" as he is known to the world, is still (at a fairly good age) about the busiest man in these parts.

In recent weeks he has returned to the newspaper world and now is editor of The Qu'Appelle Progress, a live publication which the owner, Charlie Hitchings, follows from Regina. Due to health conditions, Mr. Hitchings took an easier job in Regina but remains as owner of the Qu'Appelle paper. It is printed at Indian Head.

But to return to willing, workhorse Heber. He entered the publication business during wartime when Qu'Appelle had no paper. He felt that something had to be done about it and began getting out a mimeographed sheets to send to the boys overseas.

So much did they like it that letters poured in from Qu'Appelle servicemen all over the world. That boosted morale all around, and Heber was fully launched into the newspaper world with all its tribulations.

To aid in its production, Cliff Hunt of Indian Head, then municipal secretary-treasurer at Qu'Appelle, pitched in, cut the stencils and took a hand in running the machine.

So today Qu'Appelle has its old editor back at the job, busier than ever, willing as a beaver at all projects designed to help the town and yet able to preserve his good-humored balance and sanity.

A man of many parts and experiences, Heber Ellis used to play what he called "the most terrible sax you ever heard" in the town orchestra, is a qualified projectionist for the theatre, has regenerated the board of trade on occasion, and has worked valiantly to preserve Qu'Appelle's hospital.

He used to write and produce plays for Qu'Appelle's theatre group and for a number of years ran the Pool elevator at Qu'Appelle.

In earlier days a farmer in the Edgeley district, Mr. Ellis moved to Qu'Appelle some 55 years ago, so he is no youth. However, his youthful outlook and appearance could belong to a much younger man. He was reeve of South Qu-Appelle municipality for 16 years, and on moving to town put in many years on the town council. He saw his three sons enter service in World War II. And this man who likes to work for the enjoyment of others and to share their fun, also shares their tragedies. One son didn't come back. —The News, Indian Head, Sask.

The flying muscles of the pigeon weigh as much as all other parts of the bird put together.

Cocktails originated in New Orleans.

Ideal cover-up

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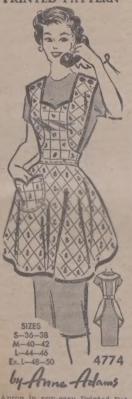

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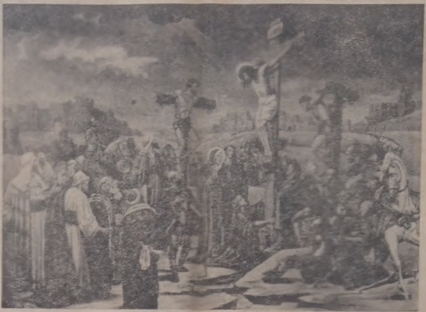


THE CRUCIFIXION painted by B. Imhoff in 1929.

Famous art treasure nestled in Saskatchewan's Northwest

Approximately 100 miles northwest of North Battleford, near the town of St. Walburg, stands a very unusual building. Perennially bright flowers wreath its windows. Cherubs play on the smooth stuccoed walls, oblivious to Saskatchewan's cold winters. Sheep and cattle in the neighboring barnyard can feast their eyes on pictures the like of which many congregations would pay dearly to possess.

This is the studio of Berthold Imhoff—a studio that contains a fabulous collection of paintings that will amaze all who visit this wonder of northwest Saskatchewan.

Berthold Imhoff died at St. Walburg 19 years ago. He passed away a few weeks after suffering a stroke while he was painting the image of Christ in a church at Bruno, Saskatchewan.

The life story of this itinerant painter is very strange indeed. It is the story of a man who loved rural farm life better than the city and yet he never once worked the farm he owned. It is the story of a man who travelled from art studios in some of the largest centres in Germany to a studio in St. Walburg, at a time when that part of northwest Saskatchewan was just being opened to settlement. These are the strange ingredients that formed the life story of Berthold Imhoff.

He was born in 1886 in a castle at Karlsruhe, near the Rhine River in Germany. His father was an officer in a large estate farm and was well known and respected in Karlsruhe.

Berthold was one of a family of seven sons and none of them, other than Berthold, seemed artistically inclined. The Imhoffs knew more about fishing, riding, hunting and shooting on the large estate where they lived. Yet at the early age of seven, Berthold Imhoff started painting. He was placed in the best schools at Karlsruhe, Halla and Dusseldorf to develop his painting skill.

In 1900, Imhoff migrated to the United States, taking up residence in Reading, Pa. The years that followed were crammed full of painting activity. He received many commissions to paint the interiors of churches all over the U.S.A. There are many photographs in the studio at St. Walburg, showing the work that he had done in churches throughout the United States. His biggest undertaking was in a cathedral at Reading, where he painted 226 life-size figures in various groups, taking him more than a year to complete.

During his years of painting and decorating churches while he was residing in Pennsylvania, Imhoff was much in demand. In fact his work was so popular that he was determined to seek out some secluded retreat which would discourage the many visitors and from which he would venture forth at his own desire.

So early in 1914, when a wave of settlement was pouring into northwest Saskatchewan, Imhoff set out in search of a location for his secluded studio. The end of the railway that year was at Turtleford. Twenty miles from Turtleford, in what is now the St. Walburg district, Imhoff settled.

Imhoff seemed to love hunting even more than he loved to paint. The abundance of wildlife in northwest Saskatchewan completely captivated him. To the day he died it was his never failing delight. When the urge to hunt came upon him, he would put aside his paints and take up his trusty guns, some of which still stand in a rack in the Imhoff residence. Some of the paintings he did to record these hunting trips are still scattered here and there among the hundreds of paintings in his studio.

Imhoff completed many painting commissions without pay. In 1937 he was knighted by the Pope.

In Saskatchewan his craftsmanship can be seen in Leipzig; in St. Peter's Cathedral, Muenster; St. Benedict Church, St. Benedict; Holy Rosary, Denzil; St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Humboldt; Notre Dame Church, North Battleford; Notre Dame, St. Walburg and St. Peter's, Paradise Hill, Sask.

As a result of his many trips back to the United States, churches, banks, music academies and a number of public buildings have Imhoff's frescoes. Many homes and villas in Pennsylvania carry his work as does one home in Saskatchewan, that of Mrs. Nick Fuchs, at Lloydminster.

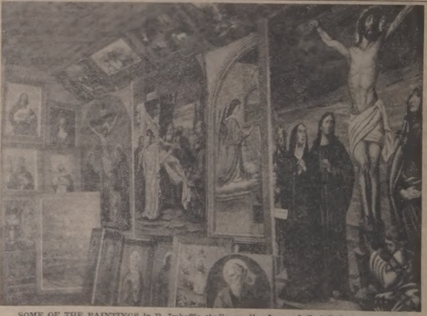
The Imhoff Studio still stands on the farm which is situated four miles south and ½-mile west of St. Walburg. Time and the elements have taken a heavy toll on the paintings on the exterior of the Studio. However, the general outline of the paintings can still be seen. Inside the Studio there are some 200 paintings on show with many others stored in packing cases. The beautiful blending of colors and the striking figures in his paintings all contribute to the brilliant craftsmanship of Imhoff.

The Studio is open to visitors and they come in good numbers, especially during the summer months. One of Berthold's sons, Carl Imhoff and his wife are very happy to show visitors about the Studio and to describe the various paintings. They operate the large farm on which the Studio stands.

It is difficult to describe one's reactions as you enter the old Studio at St. Walburg. You have the feeling of being somewhere far away from northwest Saskatchewan—the feeling that you're back in the romantic period in the history of art.

One of the most striking paintings on view is that of Prince Frederick William, father of William II, emperor of Germany. Dressed in the rich uniform of a Prussian Field Mashall, astride a coal black charger, the angel of death hovers over him in the act of placing the wreath of victory on his brow, for death and the crown came to him almost simultaneously. Berthold Imhoff refused $3,000 for this painting, and he did it at the tender age of 16.

The Imhoff Studio, located on a farm just south of St. Walburg, is one of the greatest tourist attractions of northwest Saskatchewan and the traveller would be well advised to visit it on his trip through this part of Saskatchewan.



SOME OF THE PAINTINGS in B. Imhoff's studio on the farm of Carl Imhoff — four miles south of St. Walburg, Sask.

MRS. CARL IMHOFF points out some interesting aspects of her father-in-law's paintings to Mr. M. Bater, Tourist Officer.

Tragic and unnecessary

Springhill's latest coal-mining disaster may mean the end of mining in that grief-stricken little Nova Scotia town.

Here are the reasons:

The mine has a history of tragedy.

It is uneconomical.

The coal is not required, as other Nova Scotia mines can meet all demands in accessible markets.

One of the most significant footnotes to tragedy is that dedicated miners died behind walls of rock and fallen timbers digging coal in an uneconomical operation when it could have been obtained with less hazard and more cheaply elsewhere. —The Guide - Advocate, Watford, Ont.

BOGUS $20 BILLS

Corporal Roy Mason, of the local O.P.P. Detachment, this week issued a warning to all merchants and residents to be on the alert for bogus American $20 bills.

The corporal asks any person obtaining information on the suspects to pass it on to local authorities, in order that a thorough check can be made. — The Free Press, Acton, Ont.

Sask. Minister of Education makes statement

"Several statements in the press recently, including a Leader-Post editorial, have suggested that the government might withhold grants from schools deviating from times for school opening as defined in legislation. Such is not the case. Nor has there ever been any suggestion that such was the case. Persons making such inferences could have better informed themselves by enquiring from school boards.

"School boards have received a notice from the Department of Education informing them regarding the law concerning time as it affects school hours. They have been reminded of the provision allowing them to alter the time of opening school by one-half hour. By taking advantage of this, school may be closed at 3 p.m.

"On application to the Department, permission may be given for further deviation in the hour of school opening and closing."

BIG PUMPKIN

Speaking of large vegetables in the district, Keith Hitchings was the proud owner this Hallowe'en of a pumpkin given him weighing 42 pounds. This was grown by [illegible] of Foam Lake. Her garden had no extra watering apart from what moisture we had from rain, which was scarce. —The Touchwood Times, Punnichy, Sask.

Farm credit bill before legislature

Vital need for assistance to farmers and future farmers in establishing, developing and operating farms in Manitoba is being met through a Farm Credit bill now before the provincial Legislature.

The Bill, introduced by Hon. E. Willis, minister of agriculture, will enable farmers with 50 acres of land or more, and full-time market gardeners with over 25 acres of land, to borrow from the province. It also will establish future farmers if they use all or part of their loan to acquire this minimum amount of land.

The lending organization will be composed of five men and their terms of office will be so arranged that their retirements will not come in the same year to ensure continuity of experienced men.

Loans may be made to purchase land, improve buildings, clear, break, drain or fence land, to discharge mortgages or other encumbrances, to consolidate debts, to purchase livestock and machinery, and other such purposes as may be approved by the directors.

A farmer may borrow up to $25,000 and the security will be a first mortgage on land, and where necessary, a chattel mortgage on livestock and machinery.

CNR Grey Cup Specials stock tons of food

Football fans are like football players—they like to eat.

Each year, at Grey Cup time, thousands of them board Canadian National Railways trains to the big game and the need for food is one thing they all have in common, though they may root for different teams.

"It takes over 1¼ tons of meat to feed the fans travelling on one Grey Cup Special from the east to the west and return," declare CNR dining car officials. Approximately 4,000 meals are served to Grey Cup fans on such a six-day trip," they added.

This year's football specials will begin in the east and enroute to Vancouver, will pick up fans at many intermediate points. By the time the CNR specials arrive at destination, about 500 fans will be aboard each train.

LEADING PORT

The month of July was called Quintilis Julius by the Romans, in memory of Julius Caesar

BORDER TRAVEL

Motor vehicle traffic across the border to the end of September this year was practically unchanged in total from 1957, a gain in number of returning Canadian vehicles balancing a decline in foreign vehicles. Visitors to Canada by rail, bus, boat and plane to the end of August were slightly fewer than last year, and the number of Canadians returning by these means of transport was also less.

NOT FATAL

The bite of the male black widow spider is not fatal to humans.

Sew-easy wonders

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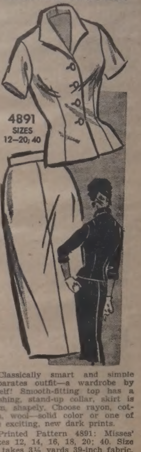


Classically smart and simple separates outfit—a wardrobe by itself! Smooth-fitting top has a dashing, stand-up collar, skirt is slim, shapely. Choose rayon, cotton, wool—solid color or one of the exciting, new dark prints.

Printed Pattern 4891: Misses' Sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20; 40. Size 16 takes 3½ yards 39-inch fabric.

Printed directions on each pattern part. Easier, accurate.

Send fifty cents (50c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to:

**Anne Adams Pattern Dept.,
Department P.P.L.,
60 Front Street, W., Toronto.**

A FUNNY

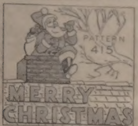
In history class, a teacher asked 10-year-old Millicent, "Millie, if you were elected Prime Minister of Canada tomorrow, what's the very first thing you would do?"

Looking puzzled, Millie replied, "If I were elected Prime Minister, I guess I'd have the voters' head examined."

IN THE HOME WORKSHOP
with RUTH WYETH SPEARS

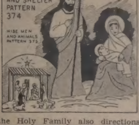
Roof top greeting

A greeting to all from your roof top with this life-size Santa. Pattern 415 gives actual-size cutting and painting guides for this cutout which includes the chimney and 10-inch letters for Merry Christmas along the eaves—all to be cut from hardboard. Mounting directions come with the five large pattern sheets. May be used year after year. Price of pattern $1.75.



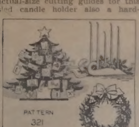
Lawn decoration

On your lawn or in a Sunday-school room these 21-inch figures tell the Christmas story. Pattern 374 gives actual-size guides for the Holy Family also directions for the shelter. Pattern 375 is for Wise Men and animals. Patterns are 40c each. Both are in Packet 43 which includes other fascinating decorations—all for $1.75.



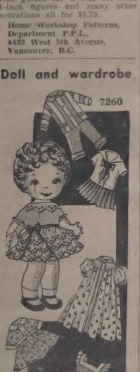
Fun to make

Christmas fixings are fun to make. Pattern 321, which gives actual-size cutting guides for this sled candle holder also a hardboard tree for cards, and directions for wreaths, is 40c. This pattern is included in packet 43 which gives guides for a crib set with 21-inch figures and many other decorations all for $1.75.



Home Workshop Patterns,
Department P.P.L.,
4433 West 5th Avenue,
Vancouver, B.C.

Doll and wardrobe



by Alice Brooks

Doll plus wardrobe — thrifty, easy to make of remnants. Fun to sew—let daughter help you.

Pattern 7260: pattern pieces, directions for 9½-inch doll, party and two school dresses ,coat, robe, 'jamas, panties, crinoline, jacket, slacks, nightie.

Send Thirty-five Cents (coins) for this pattern (stamps cannot be accepted), to:

Household Arts Department,
Department P.P.L.,
60 Front Street, W., Toronto.

Women type for history

In a small office on the third floor of Manitoba's Legislative building, two shifts of six young women are working night and day so that citizens of the province may be kept informed on the business of government.

These women are the typists who are transcribing from small blue plastic records the debates and proceedings of the people's elected representatives.

Their job: "Project Hansard". Their boss is Ray Evans, Queen's Printer, who is responsible to Hon. Marcel Boulic, provincial secretary.

Each issue is a completely verbatim report of debates and proceedings, Mr. Evans stressed. Rough drafts are first prepared and checked for technical errors, because the odd one does creep in. For example, "ten years of office," for the term, "tenure of office."

These copies are then re-typed, photographed, printed and distributed without leaving the building.

Publication of Manitoba's Hansard is an historical landmark, being the first time that the unedited reports of full debates have been made available for public distribution. In former years, only the plastic records were retained, so that members could check back on what was said.

A key man in the project is Ray Sly who manipulates the recording and public address system by which the proceedings are kept. His hours are long, for he must never leave the House while a session is underway. When members have adjourned, Ray reports to the Hansard office and is available to assist typists as they transcribe the material.

He has many difficult problems. When a member rises to speak, Ray flips a switch and the comments are duly filtered through a microphone and onto the record. However, should one member be speaking when another member comments from his seat, Ray must act fast to capture the interjection. As some members are seated with their backs to him, he must rely on his eyes and ears to find the location of the second speaker or his ears alone to recognize the speaker's voice.

He must then pull the proper switch to "open" the microphone. Unless the switch is open the comments will not be recorded. Also, in the excitement of debate, a member may start to speak long before his feet hit the floor.

Mr. Boulic reports that the present schedule calls for a 36 to 48-hour time lapse between the sitting and the printed copy. It is hoped that this can be shortened once the staff has become more familiar with the routine and the use of political terminology.

Copies of Manitoba's new Hansard may be obtained on request from the Queen's Printer, Legislative Building, Winnipeg. Cost is $3 for the full session; 10 cents per individual copy. Payment must accompany request.

More education for farmers

New types of short courses for farmers dealing with livestock and farm management are to be given throughout Saskatchewan, L. C. Paul of the Extension Department, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, announced.

In the Hanley-Dilke region, a series of one-day courses will be conducted over a five-week period. The first, which began on November 10 at Hanley, will be conducted for five consecutive Mondays. At Craik, the course will be on Tuesdays, Keeler on Wednesdays, Dilke on Thursdays, and Kenaston on Fridays. These will be held during the period November 10-December 12.

Another variation will be tried in north-western Saskatchewan during the week of December 15-19, when, at Turtleford and St. Walburg, courses will be held in the afternoons and evenings.

Elsewhere a series of one-week courses will also be held, at Tantallon from Nov. 10-14; Estevan on Nov. 17-21; Bengough, Nov. 24-28; Conquest, Dec. 1-5; Domremy, Dec. 8-12; and Alvena, Dec. 15-19.

All of these courses are being sponsored by local organizations, including Young Farmers' Clubs, Farm Management Clubs, Agricultural Societies, and Agricultural Committees. The organizing is being done by the local agricultural representative. Canadian Vocational Training and the Extension Department of the University of Saskatchewan are providing instructors.

Additional agricultural courses are being planned for after the New Year.

POWER

Net generation of electric energy was 10 percent greater in September this year than last, making a cumulative increase of 8 percent for the nine months. The month's output was greater in all provinces except Ontario and Manitoba.

SPIRITUAL STRENGTH FOR TODAY
HOLY BIBLE
R. BARCLAY WARREN

A VERY HELPFUL SCRIPTURE

In my visitation of the sick the verses that have helped the most are Philippians 6; 6,7. "Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." Phillips expresses it in modern speech this way: "Don't worry over ,anything whatever; tell God every detail of your needs in earnest and thankful prayer, and the peace of God, which transcends human understanding, will keep constant guard over your hearts and minds as they rest in Christ Jesus"

To say glibly to the troubled, "Don't worry." can be very aggravating to them. But when they are encouraged to the simple yet glorious alternative they gain strength. While Peter kept his eyes on Jesus he walked triumphantly on the waves But when he began looking at the waves he began to sink.

The sick and troubled in heart so often are gazing at their misfortunes and have forgotten that Jesus is standing near eager to help. When we lift our hearts to Him in earnest and thankful prayer we immediately gain strength. We must not forget the thanksgiving. Prayer without it is hardly prayer. In the worst of circumstances there is always something for which to thank God. Then God's peace begins to settle over us. Just how it works is impossible to explain It's beyond our understanding. But millions have experienced it. God speaks to us.

A religion that doesn't help us when we are in trouble isn't worth having. It is then we need SOMEONE who is stronger than ourselves to hold us up. And you need not wait until the day of severe trouble to know Him. You may have Him now. Then you will be strong when the storm strikes.

One lady was meditating on this passage of Scripture before going in for surgery. It was the first thing that came to her mind after the operation. And she is still kept by God's peace.

Migration of wild geese

To me a thrilling sound to hear
Comes thro the night, twice every year;
Wild geese in orbit, send refrains
To earth beneath, from wavering chains.

Set is their goal by Nature's hand,
Migrate they must, to other lands
Where, they perpetuate their race;
Migrating, high in outer space.

This journey has no whistle stops,
Till Hudson's Bay, where now they drop
To mate, and nest and rear their young,
Quite unmolested, on tundra sponge.

As summer passes all too quick,
The goslings prune their feathers slick;
And when those icy winds do blow
From out the Arctic, this they know.

That, time again is near at hand,
When young must test their wings to stand
Their treacherous journey to the south,
Where Jack Frost, seldom ventures out.

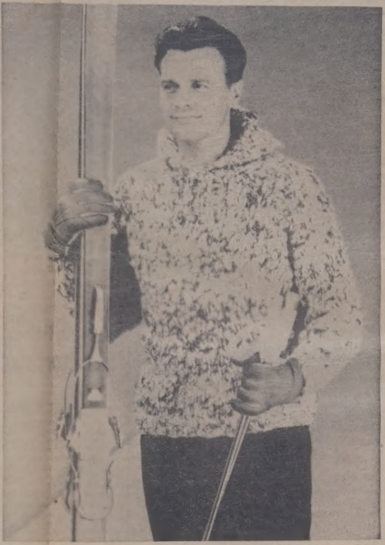
Never failing their leaders call,
Fatigued, a weakling may fall.
E'er Miner's sanctuary brings,
A brief respite to weary wings.

Protection here, with fare of corn,
Take off, e'er the break of morn,
And, in their own way, loud proclaim
Their thanks; till they return again.

—Jack Parrish, 126 Mississaga St. W., Orillia, Ont.
The Mossbank Weekly News, Moose Jaw, Sask.

(The Eagle, Rostown, Sask.)

NEW HOSPITAL OPENED AT MILDEN — Pictured above is the new $165,000 Union Hospital opened at Milden on Wednesday, October 22nd. Over 300 people attended the opening.



A NEW ARRIVAL in Canada from Denmark is this unusual hand knitted sweater. The pure wool yarn, a mixture of brown and white, is spun with thick and thin spots giving an interesting surface effect. The sweaters, for men, women and children, are knitted on needles "as big as drumsticks" by a group of women in the Danish town of Silkeborg. In addition to their eye-catching originality and warmth, the pure wool sweaters will shed snow and water, making them an ideal choice for the Winter sports enthusiast.

Scouts to meet Lord Rowallan

Twenty-two Boy Scouts from Gordon's Indian Residential School at Punnichy, have received the honor of attending a banquet and meeting Lord Rowallan, Chief Scout of the British Commonwealth at Saskatoon.

The banquet was held in the Bessborough Hotel and given by the Government of Saskatchewan. Following the dinner the Scouts put on a display and presented Lord Rowallan with an Indian head dress. They also gave a display of Indian dancing. — The Touchwood Times, Punnichy, Sk.

SUPPORT LOCAL MERCHANTS

We see by the papers . . .

The Record, Rimbey, Alberta

GOOD OLD DAYS

Gone are the good old days when a healthy young Canadian cleared a stretch of woodland with his axe . . . and built himself a cabin. Life is now more complicated and municipals housing regulations require standards, comforts and conveniences undreamed of in the pioneer days.

—Creston (B.C.) Review

GOOD WORK

We would like to offer a belated "Thank You" to the volunteers who worked on fire lines across the Peace River country this summer. Through hard work by these firefighters no serious loss of marketable timber was experienced this summer, one of the driest on record.

—Grande Prairie Herald-Tribune

SELF CURE

If you are bored in a small town the trouble could be you. Try joining a few more groups . . . you'll find that you won't have time to be bored!

—Grenfell (Sask.) Sun

MORE PARITY

If parity prices for some products can bring prosperity to those who have such products for sale, why not parity prices for something that everybody can have for sale—our old clothes, for example.

—Red River Valley Echo

CONTAGIOUS QUALITY

In these days, when most of us are hoping and pleading for a little more sanity and common sense in international affairs, we might do well to check our own behaviour. Common sense, like many other qualities of character, is contagious.

—Portage la Prairie Leader

SHOP AT HOME

Why drive miles to shop? Every dollar spent in home town business places benefits you, the purchaser.

—Trenton (Ont.) Trentonian

Shoot rare white snow goose

Mace Devaul and Bill McCosham reported in from duck hunting with a rare prize. They got their trigger eyes on a Snow Goose, very rare in this district, and bagged it with a minimum of shots: About quite a few.

According to the book entitled "Birds of America", this goose usually follows the centre flyway down the central states and is very rare in this district. They weigh from five to seven pounds. The one that Mace and Bill took was an average bird, with full plumage. — The Leader, Morrisburg, Ont.

Carbon monoxide does not have an odor.

CNR engineers find huge beaver house

One of the largest beaver houses known to exist has been discovered by Canadian National Railways engineers surveying the route of the new railway line between Optic and Chisel Lakes in Northern Manitoba. The house is reported to be 15 feet in height, with a diameter of 35 feet and circumference of over 100 feet.

As it lies directly in the path of the new rail line, construction crews will have to encourage the beavers to move elsewhere.

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Woman's Way

MADELEINE LEVASON

DO-IT-YOURSELF MUSIC

The organ in the parlour is back in style again. Family groups are gathering around to play and sing like they did in grandma's day.

A new boom in the "family organ" business is reported by Canadian builders and distributors of the musical instruments. They say there is not only a heavy demand for modern electric organs but many people are haunting auction sales to salvage the old-fashioned pump type.

Organs are said fairly easy to play. Some even have chords numbered so beginners can learn a tune in half an hour Anyone in the family it seems, can tinker around and get pleasant sounds.

The organ boom reports aroused my curiosity. This seemed to completely contradict all the alarmist talk about television and movies turning Canadians into mere spectators. Further inquiry revealed it is only one example of a growing urge among Canadians to produce their own music.

Apparently piano sales are also soaring and even the old player piano is back in favor. Accordians are selling like hot cakes and guitars, violins, mandolins and other instruments are being purchased by Canadian men and women of all ages.

Two explanations for this reawakening of interest in making music are given by the distributors of musical instruments. It all began ,they say, at the end of World War II. Canadian servicemen returned from overseas filled with memories of music they had heard in Europe and began buying and playing all kinds of musical instruments. Then, the influx of New Canadians from the old countries gave an added tremendous boost to the trend.

Europeans apparently don't believe home-made music is old-fashioned. They bring to Canada rich traditions of musical culture and are teaching "old" Canadians a new appreciation for the art. This, I think, is one of the more heartwarming examples of the many ways our immigrants contribute to the Canadian way of life.

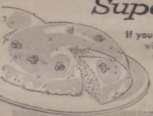
Fox bounties now raised to $4.00

Pickering Township will pass a bylaw next week appointing a Fox Bounty Officer. At the moment, fox bounties are paid by the township at the rate of $3 per fox. Bounties were paid by Sid Pugh and Lorne Jones of the Township Game Commission.

Ontario County has announced that the county will now pay $4 per pelt, which is an increase of $1. —The News, Pickering, Ont.

DRIVE WITH CARE—THE LIFE YOU SAVE MAY BE YOUR OWN

Superb!



If you bake at home, everyone will *love* this big, round, deep and delicious frosted maple coffee cake! Make it with Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast, and you'll serve it *often!*

Frosted Maple Coffee Cake

1. Scald
1 cup milk
Stir in
½ cup lightly-packed brown sugar
1½ teaspoons salt
½ cup butter or margarine
Cool to lukewarm.

2. Meantime, measure into large bowl
½ cup lukewarm water
Stir in
2 teaspoons granulated sugar
Sprinkle with contents of
2 envelopes Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast
Let stand 10 minutes, THEN stir well.
Stir in lukewarm milk mixture,
3 well-beaten eggs
1 teaspoon maple flavoring
2½ cups once-sifted all-purpose flour
½ cup chopped walnuts
and beat until smooth and elastic.
Work in additional
3 cups (about) once-sifted all-purpose flour

3. Turn out on floured board and knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl. Grease top. Cover. Let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk—about 1 hour.

4. Punch down dough. Turn out on lightly-floured board and knead until smooth. Divide dough into 2 equal portions; pat each portion into a 7-inch round and place in a greased 8-inch round layer cake pan. Grease tops. Cover. Let rise until doubled in bulk—about ¾ hour. Bake in moderately hot oven, 375°, about 30 minutes. Turn out on cake racks, top-side up and cool slightly.

Spread with the following Maple Frosting and decorate, if desired with walnut halves. Measure 1 cup once-sifted icing sugar into a small bowl; stir in 3 drops vanilla, ¼ teaspoon maple flavoring and sufficient cream (about 4 teaspoons) to make an icing of spreading consistency. Yield—2 large coffee cakes.

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Cards of Thanks

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for expressions of sympathy, flowers, cards, etc , in our recent sad bereavement of the late Jonathan Beaton.

Special thanks to Mrs. Whitman, Mrs Staples, Church Choir, the Pastor, and Mrs. Player, the pianist.

Mr and Mrs. James Begrie
and Family
All Beaton Families

Due to poor health, I have closed the Kissick Billiard Hall, and I wish to say Thank You to all my Patrons of Delia and neighborhood who have co-operated with me during the years I have been in business.

P. D. KISSICK.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1958

NEW SOVIET THREAT

Real purpose behind new Soviet threat to Berlin is to weaken NATO and pave the way for creating new economic and political spite among Western powers In effect Soviet Premier Khrushchev has chosen to tear up, not the Potsdam agreement, but a previous agreement ratified five months earlier under the terms of which Russia accepted four-power occupation of Berlin in return for withdrawal of Western forces from certain territores now forming part of communist East Germany. What Khrushchev now wants to do is have the Kremin wash its hands of any responsibility for the fate of Berlin in order to force the Western powers to recognize, if not directly, at least by negotiation, the East German communist regime. Were this treat to be carried out and the USSR to turn over its administrative powers to President Ulbright of East Germany, opinion in U K, France and the U S might be sharply divided on whether to run risk of another blockade of Berlin or to aceept recognition of East German communist regime as price of avoiding trouble.

De Facto recognition of East German communist regime, even if Britain, France and US were agreed upon such a course, which seems unlikely, would severly test relations between West German Republic and Western powers. At same time grave politicial difficulties would arise for Government of Chancellor Adenauer.

NATIONALIZATION IN U K.

Experience in the United Kingdom indicates that nationalization, far from being the economic panacea which socialists like to assert it is, creates far more economic problems than it solves.

Britain's Nationalized Coal Industry, for example, seems to have already priced itself out of the market. Coal prices have risen so sharply under state monopoly that industries in the U K are turning to other cheaper sources of energy. Meanwhile, the Coal Board continues to dig coal out of the ground only to put it back in the ground by dumping its unsold surplus production in unused quarries.

To dismay of Coal Board, even other nationalized industries have been forced to turn to other fuel sources of power. Case in point is Gas Council, which runs Britain's publicly-owned gas industry. Gas Council has recently announced that it is buying 2,000 tons of frozen natural gas from the U S. Imported gas, officials of Gas Council figure, is cheaper than gas produced from coal mined by the nationalized coal mines

Under public ownership, particularly where public ownership is monopolistic, the customer gets no breaks and few favors

Local & District

This is Safe Driving Week, sponsored by Alberta Safety Council.

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Alex Nagy, of Calgary, was a week end visitors with his mother, Mrs A. Nagy, of Delia

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Mr and Mrs C. Curtis motored to Calgary, Friday evening, for the week end

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Hugh McLaren was reported last Friday to be a patient in the Drumheller Municipal Hospital.

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Don Hands of Delia, arrived home Wednesday from Vancouver, after taking in the Grey Cup Game.

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A card party was held in Majestic School last Friday evg., Nov. 28, in aid of the forthcoming Xmas tree fund.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Beaton were guests of their Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Begrie, for a few days in Calgary recently.

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Milder weather prevailed during the past week, with thawing temperatures. At present writing the mercury reads 45 above.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sinclair have now returned to Calgary, after visiting at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sinclair, for several weeks. Mrs. William Sinclair had been a patient in the Hanna Hospital for some time, but is now recovering.

High Quality Crop

Western Canada's wheat crop is of exceptionally high quality this year, reports the Board of Grain Commissioners Its moisture content is low and its protein and baking strength is high. About 90 percent of all spring wheat produced in the prairies will grade No. 3 Northern, or higher, and about 85 percent of the durum will grade No. 2 and No 3 C W.

Average protein content this year is placed at 13 8 percent.

This figure is .2 percent below last year's average, but .3 percent above the long-term average.

Average protein levels, by provinces, are: Manitoba. 13 1 percent; Saskatchewan, 14.4; and Alberta 13 1

Talent Scout

Signed by CBC radio to launch a nation-wide search for talent, Fred Diehel will produce the new Trans-Canada Talent Show, a half hour series designed to introduce talented newcomers to Canadian listeners. It can be heard weekly on the Trans-Canada network of CBC radio.

Price List Issued

The Alberta Wheat Pool Seed Division has issued its first retail price list for grasses and legumes for the current season. These price lists are in the hands of Alberta Wheat Pool agents and farmers wishing to place orders for seed may now do so. It is a good idea to order early when a complete range of kinds and grades of seed is available.

RADIO

The following are among the high lights of programs to be heard over CBC stations on Thursday Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, Dec 4, 5, 6, and 7. All times mentioned are Mountain Standard Time.

4:00	p.m.	Alberta Almanac.
5:30	"	The Isle of Mist.
5:45	"	Festive.
6:00	"	News, Byline, Weather.
6:20	"	World of Sports.
6:30	"	Prairie Concert.
7:00	"	Rawhide.
7:15	"	Roving Reporter.
7:25	"	CBC Tonight.
7:30	"	Swept 'n Sour.
8:00	"	CBC News, Roundup.
8:20	"	Post-News Talk.
8:30	"	Citizens' Forum.
9:15	"	Vancouver Orchestra.
10:00	"	Halifax Theatre.
10:30	"	Eventide.
11:00	"	CBC News.
11:15	"	Glen's Den.
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5		
4:00	p.m.	Alberta Almanac.
5:30	"	The Isle of Mist.
5:45	"	Festival.
6:00	"	CBC News, Byline, Weather.
6:20	"	World of Sport.
6:30	"	Points West.
7:00	"	Rawhide.
7:15	"	Roving Reporter.
7:25	"	CBC Tonight.
7:30	"	The Four Gentlemen.
7:45	"	Gerald Rutledge.
8:00	"	CBC News, Roundup.
8:20	"	Post-News Talk.
8:30	"	Now I Ask You.
9:00	"	Songs of My People.
9:30	"	CBC Concert Hall.
10:00	"	Curious Canadians.
10:30	"	Nathan Cohen Interviews
11:00	"	CBC News, Weather.
11:15	"	Northern Messenger.
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6		
4:45	"	Producer's Choice.
5:00	"	Don Messer.
5:30	"	Stu Davis.
5:45	"	U.N. on the Record.
6:00	"	Prairie Sports Final.
6:25	"	CBC News.
6:30	"	N.H.L. Hockey.
8:30	"	CBC News.
8:35	"	New York Philharmonic.
10:00	"	Prairie Schooner.
10:30	"	Ca C'est Montreal.
10:55	"	Interlude.
11:00	"	CBC News (Vancouver).
11:10	"	Weather.
11:15	"	Saturday Hoedown.
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7		
4:30	p.m.	CBC National News.
4:35	"	Ask the Weatherman.
4:42	"	Local Weather
4:45	"	In Reply
5:00	"	Project 59
6:00	"	Serenade.
6:30	"	CBC Symphony Orch.
8:00	"	CBC News.
8:10	"	Weekend Review
8:20	"	Our Special Speaker.
8:30	"	Sunday Chorale
9:00	"	Winnipeg Symphony Or.
10:00	"	CBC Stage.
11:00	"	CBC News
11:10	"	Weather.
11:15	"	Talk.
11:30	"	Music Diary.

Alberta Wheat Pool

Somewhat reduced handlings but higher net earnings in the 1957 58 crop year featured the report of general manager. A. T. Baker, to the annual meeting of Alberta Wheat Pool delegates which was held in Calgary last week The organization, he said, is in the strongest financial position in history.

Mr. Baker reported that because of almost continuous congestion in country elevators, handlings of Pool elevators in 1957-58 declined to 56,900,000 bushels, from 61,500,000 in the previous year The share of all grain delivered in the province going through Pool elevators remained at 37 percent.

Net operating earnings were up substantially to $2,365,000, after making provision for depreciation but not income tax, from $1 383,000 in the 1956 57 crop season During the course of the meeting the delegates decided on the allocation of this surplus and on the basis of past year's operations, the majority of this will go out to members as patronage dividends or reserve purchases.

Nine new elevators were built during the year These are located at McLennan, Minburn, Vegreville, Islay, Rockyford, Youngstown, Kathryn, Woking and Spruce Grove. At the end of July the system consisted of 533 country elevators and terminals at Vancouver and Port Arthur

Record shipments of grain were made through the Pool's Vancouver terminal last year as that West Coast port enjoyed its best season of exports.

During the course of the meeting, the 70 delegates from all parts of the province, representing the close to 50,000 farmer-members of this co-operative discussed a number of the most pressing agricultural problems. Hon Gordon Churchill, Minister of Trade and Commerce, addressed the meeting on December 1st.

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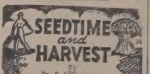

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By
Dr. F. J. Greaney,
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FIGHTING RUST WITH CHEMICALS

The recent discovery by plant scientists at the Canada Department of Agriculture Research Laboratory, Winnipeg, of a relatively simple and inexpensive chemical, viz., nickel chloride, for the control of stem rust of wheat is a step forward in the never-ending battle against this very destructive plant disease. However, as research progresses, it becomes more and more evident that the solution of the stem rust problem is not a simple one.

Chemical Control Impractical. Over 60 years ago, partial control of rust was obtained by applying chemicals to growing plants of wheat. The results of these early investigations as well as the more intensive studies of recent years, have shown that certain chemicals, if applied at the right time and in sufficient quantity, usually will reduce and suppress wheat stem rust. Nevertheless, the economic returns from such a rust control practice are still problematical. In some years it would be profitable, in other years it would be an economic loss. Consequently, it is not yet possible to recommend that chemicals be used as a practical rust control measure in the production of commercial grain crops in the Prairie Provinces.

Resistant Varieties. The use of rust-resistant varieties is, of course, the simplest and most effective method of controlling rust. Through the use of modern breeding methods and improved techniques for testing a large number of hybrids, it can be expected that Canadian plant breeders will be able to develop new rust-resistant varieties of wheat that will provide some protection at least against the sudden appearance of a new destructive race of stem rust, such as 15B. Chemicals, even today, must be considered only as a second-best method to the use of resistant varieties in the fight against rust.

Delia Branch Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.

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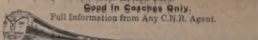

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